



In the claims:

Please amend claim 16 as follows:

16. (Three times amended) A plurality of independent and separate water control plumbing fixtures, each having a water control function different from another and each having a common decorative theme, each fixture for mounting on a support, which support has a normally visible surface and a normally non-visible surface, and wherein each fixture has water supply connections on the normally non-visible surface and has a functional and decorative element on the normally visible surface, and wherein the functional and decorative element of all such fixtures may be removed and replaced from the fixture from the visible surface without affecting the water supply connections on the normally non-visible surface,

each fixture including a waterway attached to the water supply connections, each waterway including a portion extending beyond the visible surface and into its respective functional and decorative element to supply water thereto, the portion of the waterway extending beyond the visible surface being substantially concealed by the functional and decorative element, and fastening means mounted on each waterway on the visible surface, each fastening means including means for attaching and removing its respective functional and decorative element from only the visible surface of the support.

REMARKS

A petition and fee for a one-month extension of time are enclosed.

We have made certain amendments to independent claim 16 to further distinguish the claimed invention over the cited references. Specifically claim 16 now states that the portion of the waterway that extends beyond the visible surface is substantially concealed by the